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SUBJECT: AVAILABILITY TO U.S. NATIONALS OF PLANT
BREEDERS' RIGHTS

REF: STATE 148276

1. REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA DOES NOT AT PRESENT GRANT
BREEDERS' RIGHT TO U.S. NATIONALS FOR ASEXUALLY REPRODUCED
PLANT VARIETIES BRED OUTSIDE OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH
AFRICA.
2. IT IS WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE PLANT BREEDERS'
RIGHTS ACT NUMBER 22 OF 1964 FOR SUCH RIGHTS TO BE GRANTED
ON BASIS OF A RECIPROCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.
3. THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY IN THE U.S. SHOULD CONTACT
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, PRIVATE BAG X116, PRETORIA,
STATING THAT IT IS THE WISH OF THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY
TO ENTER INTO RECIPROCAL ARRANGEMENT GRANTING U.S.
NATIONALS PLANT BREEDERS' RIGHTS FOR ASEXUALLY REPRODUCED
PLANT VARIETIES BRED OUTSIDE THE RSA.
4. COPY OF SECTION OF U.S. PATENT ACT APPLICABLE TO GRANTING
OF U.S. PLANT BREEDERS' RIGHTS AND REGULATIONS
INVOLVED AS WELL AS CLEARER DEFINITION OF PLANTS WHICH
WILL BE INVOLVED WILL SPEED UP PROCEEDINGS.

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